STATE OF CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD CENTRAL COAST REGION

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET FOR REGULAR MEETING OF FEBRUARY 17-18, 2022

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ITEM NUMBER: 15

SUBJECT: Proposed Amendments to the Water Quality Control

Plan for the Central Coastal Basin to Improve and Clarify Waste Discharge Prohibition Language

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KEY INFORMATION: Staff Responses to Comments Received

The Central Coast Water Board held two written comment periods on the proposed Basin Plan amendments, from January 16, 2020 to March 16, 2020, and from September 24, 2021 to November 15, 2021. One late written comment letter was received after the first comment period ended, on July 9, 2020. The comment letter was accepted into the administrative record at that time.

Staff revised the proposed Basin Plan amendments in response to the comment letter, and those changes were included in the Basin Plan amendments that went out for the second public comment period. No written comments were received during the second public comment period. Therefore, the 2022 proposed Basin Plan amendments, as shown in Attachment A to the Resolution (Attachment 1 to the staff report), includes revisions made in response to the comment letter. Staff responses to the comments, which include a summary of the changes made to the Basin Plan amendments in response to those comments, are included as Attachment 6 to the staff report.

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt Resolution No. R3-2022-0001 as proposed.